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SUBJECT: DOMINICAN GOVERNMENT APPROVES REQUEST FOR BLANKET
DIPLOMATIC OVERFLIGHT CLEARANCE FOR TROPICAL
STORM/HURRICANE RECONNAISSANCE MISSIONS

REF: A. STATE 022990
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The Dominican government grants permanent blanket approval for short-notice weather observation flights to track and forecast the path and intensity of tropical storms and hurricanes, per ref tel A. Notice of approval was sent via diplomatic note 9628 from the Dominican Republic's Secretary of Armed Forces, LTG Ramon Antonio Aquino Garcia.
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